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DISTRIBUTING INFORMATION  
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## Interview Summary

**MAIL STOP ISSUE FEE**  
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Dear Sir:

In response to an interview with Examiner John W. Hayes (hereinafter "Interview") via telephone on July 12, 2012, Applicants submit this Interview Summary.

This application is scheduled to issue as Patent No. 8,224,691 on July 17, 2012. The present application is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/873,974, filed June 12, 1997. The filing receipt mailed March 2, 2012 omits this fact. A request for corrected filing receipt was filed along with payment of the issue fee on May 25, 2012. The request was denied in a communication dated June 21, 2012.

During the Interview, the omission of the claim of priority to U.S. patent application serial no. 08/873,974 was discussed. In particular, Examiner Hayes agreed that the claim of priority was properly made and that the priority date should and will be corrected. Examiner Hayes also indicated that the United States Patent and Trademark Office would initiate a certificate of correction upon issuance of the patent in order to obviate the need to withdraw the patent from issue (which, the Examiner indicated, may have been too late in any event).

Although Applicants believe no fee is due in connection with this filing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due to Deposit Account No. 03-3975, Ref. No. 074584-0400927.

Respectfully submitted,

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